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Applicant/Patent Owner: PowerQuest Co	rporation							
Application No./Patent No.: 6,996,706	Filed/Issue Date:	17 February 2001						
Entitled: BOOTING AN OPERATING S	STEM OR RUNNING OTHER	PRE-BOOT CODE FROM A FILE STORED						
UNDER A DIFFERENT OPERATING SYSTEM								
PowerQuest Corporation	, a <u>Utah corporation</u>							
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ASSIGNMENT & AGREEMENT

We.

Paul E. Madden, of 368 West 1780 North, Orem, Utah 84057, Jonathan R. Ludwig, of 1175 East Airport Drive, Lehi, Utah 84043, Derrick S. Shadel, of 9653 South Countess Way, South Jordan, Utah 84095, and Val A. Arbon, of 1276 East 620 North, Orem, Utah 84097,

have invented a method, configured medium, signal, and system entitled BOOTING AN OPERATING SYSTEM OR RUNNING OTHER PRE-BOOT CODE FROM A FILE STORED UNDER A DIFFERENT OPERATING SYSTEM, hereinafter called the "invention."

Preferred embodiments of the invention are disclosed in U.S. provisional patent application serial no. 60/183,725 filed February 19, 2000, and in a patent application being filed at least in the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO"), identified as Serial No. 64/188 191 filed 62/17/2001, 2001, and identified in the law firm of Computer Law++, 1211 East Yale Avenue, Salt Lake City, Utah 84105 as file no. 1760.2.27A (We hereby authorize Computer Law++ to indicate the application number(s), jurisdiction(s), and filing date(s) when known). We have reviewed these applications and we are familiar with their contents.

The Assignee, PowerQuest Corporation, a corporation of the State of Utah, having a principal place of business at 1359 N. Research Way, Building K, Orem, Utah, 84097, desires more clearly to secure the entire right, title and interest in the invention. In consideration of \$1.00 and other good and valuable consideration paid to us by the Assignee, the receipt and sufficiency of which we hereby acknowledge, and with no reliance on any promise or representation made to us by or on behalf of the Assignee, WE HEREBY ASSIGN TO THE ASSIGNEE:

The entire right, title and interest in the invention (including subject matter disclosed but not claimed), all copyright and trade secret rights in embodiments or designs for the invention or any portion thereof, all rights in the above-identified United States and international patent applications including without limitation PCT applications and in all divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part of the applications, or reissues or extensions of Letters Patent or Patents granted thereon, including all applications specifically identified by number herein and all applications for which any present application claims a benefit or is claimed for benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119 or § 120 or § 365, and in all corresponding applications filed in countries foreign

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to the United States, and in all patents issuing thereon in the United States and foreign countries; and

The right to file foreign patent applications on the invention in its own name, wherever such right may be legally exercised, including the right to claim the benefits of the International Convention for such applications.

We hereby authorize the Assignee to file patent or copyright applications on the invention in any country in its own name or otherwise as the Assignee sees fit. We hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, and other intellectual property officials in this and foreign countries as are duly authorized by their laws to issue patents or copyright registrations, to issue any and all patents and registrations on the invention to the Assignee as the owner of the entire interest, for the sole use and benefit of the Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

We hereby agree, without further consideration and without expense to us, to sign all lawful papers and to perform all other lawful acts which the Assignee may request of us to make this Assignment & Agreement fully effective, including, by way of example but not of limitation, the following:

Prompt execution of all original, divisional, substitute, reissue, and other United States and foreign patent and copyright applications on the invention, and all lawful documents requested by the Assignee to further the prosecution of any of such applications; and

Cooperation to the best of our ability in the execution of all lawful documents, the production of evidence, nullification, reissue, extension, or infringement or interference or other legal proceedings involving the invention; faithful communication to the Assignee of all facts known to us relating to the invention and the history thereof; and generally, taking all reasonable steps which the Assignee shall request to aid in securing, maintaining, and enforcing protection for the invention and to vest title in the Assignee to the invention and all applications, patents, copyrights, and trade secrets based on the invention.

This Assignment & Agreement is effective as of the earliest patent application filing date noted above. It is not intended to supersede, supplant, rescind, or waive any right, title or interest conveyed to Assignee by us, under any prior conveyance, agreement, or operation of law, including without restriction rights created or

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conveyed by virtue of our employment by the Assignee. It is not conditioned or based on any future act to be performed by the Assignee.

This Assignment & Agreement may be executed in duplicate counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, all of which together are one and the same instrument. We warrant that to the best of our knowledge our contributions to the invention do not and will not infringe anyone's rights. Even if part of this Assignment & Agreement is found unenforceable, the remaining parts are enforceable. This Assignment & Agreement is governed by the laws of the United States and the State of Utah, and any dispute arising from it will be heard in Utah. A failure to exercise rights under this Assignment & Agreement does not mean those rights are waived. This Assignment & Agreement shall be binding upon our heirs and legal representatives.

Paul E. Madden

368 West 1780 North

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On this <u>Jo</u> day of <u>February</u> 2001, personally appeared before me Paul E. Madden, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to on this Assignment & Agreement, and acknowledged that he executed the same.

MARJA-LEENA T. ROGERS

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On this 16 day of Feb., 2001, personally appeared before me Derrick S. Shadel, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to on this Assignment & Agreement, and acknowledged that he executed the same.
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OR —
On thisday of, 2001, I personally witnessed a person who I know to be Derrick S. Shadel sign this Assignment & Agreement.
Witness' Signature:
Witness' Printed Name: Witness' Address:

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Orem, Utah 84097

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On this /b day of Fel., 2001, personally appeared before me Val A. Arbon, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to on this Assignment & Agreement, and acknowledged that he executed the same.

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